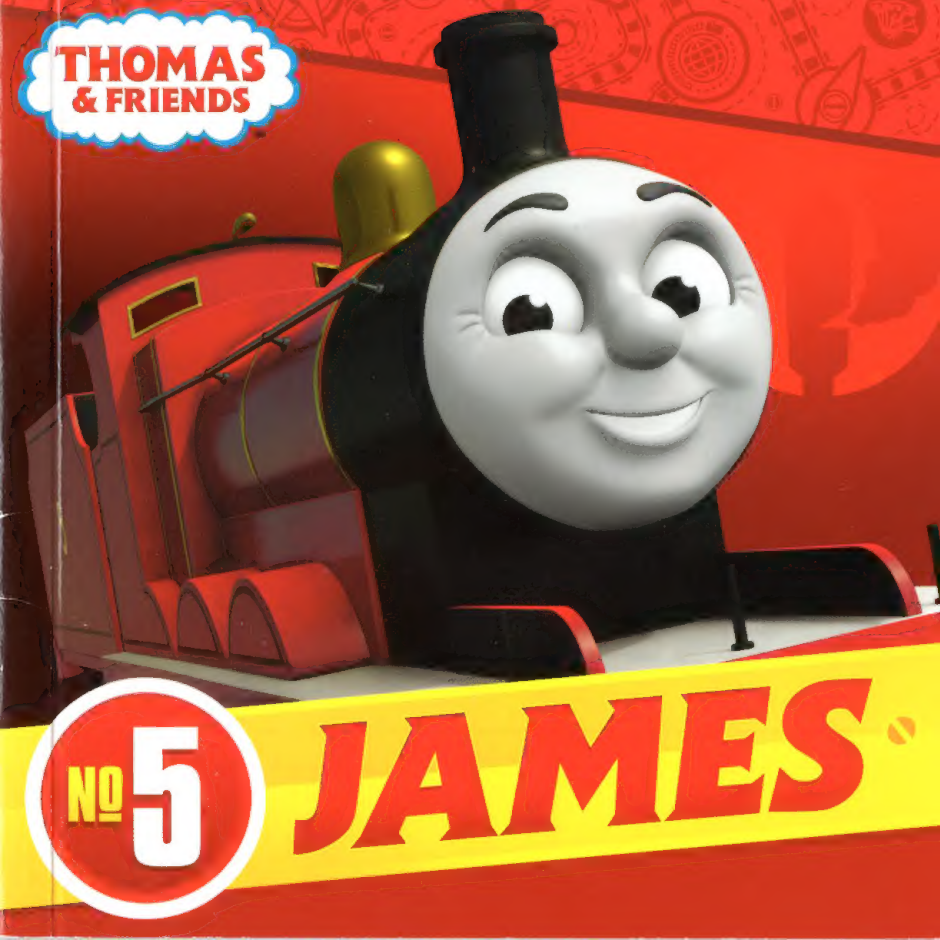


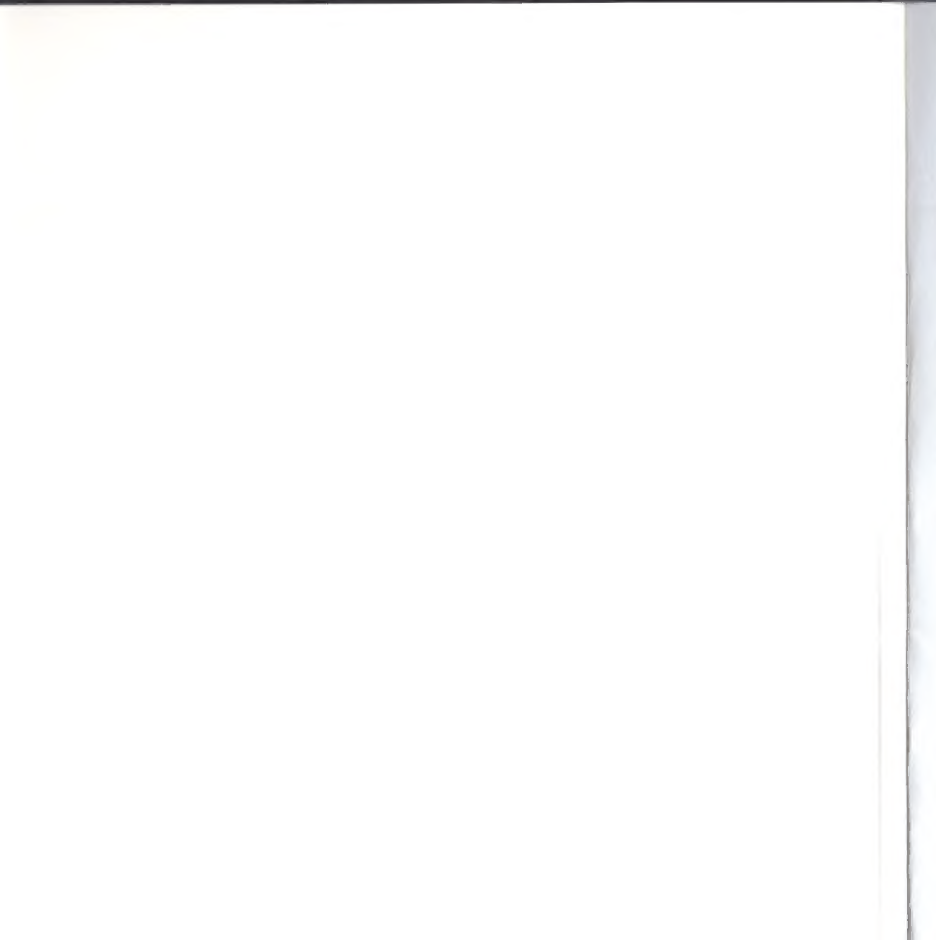
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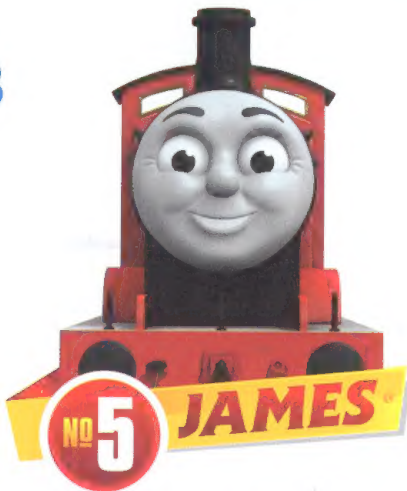
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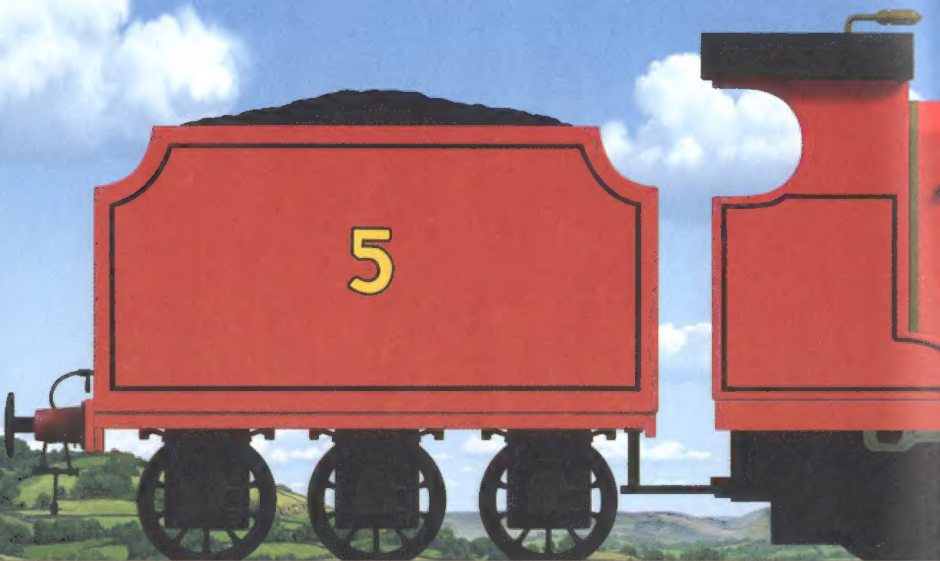


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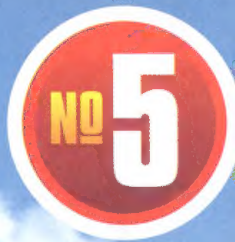


**Hi there!**  
**My name is James.**

**I have the No. 5 on my tender,  
and I am painted red.**











**Don't I look splendid?**



**Once I was painted black.  
Another time I was  
painted pink!**



**Now I'm the engine with  
the reddest coat.**





**I'm a fast engine, too.  
I can pull freight cars  
or passenger cars.**



**But I don't like getting  
my paint dirty.**



**I do like making  
my friends on the Island  
of Sodor laugh!**





**What do you call  
a tank engine  
with a cold?**

**Achoo-achoo train!**



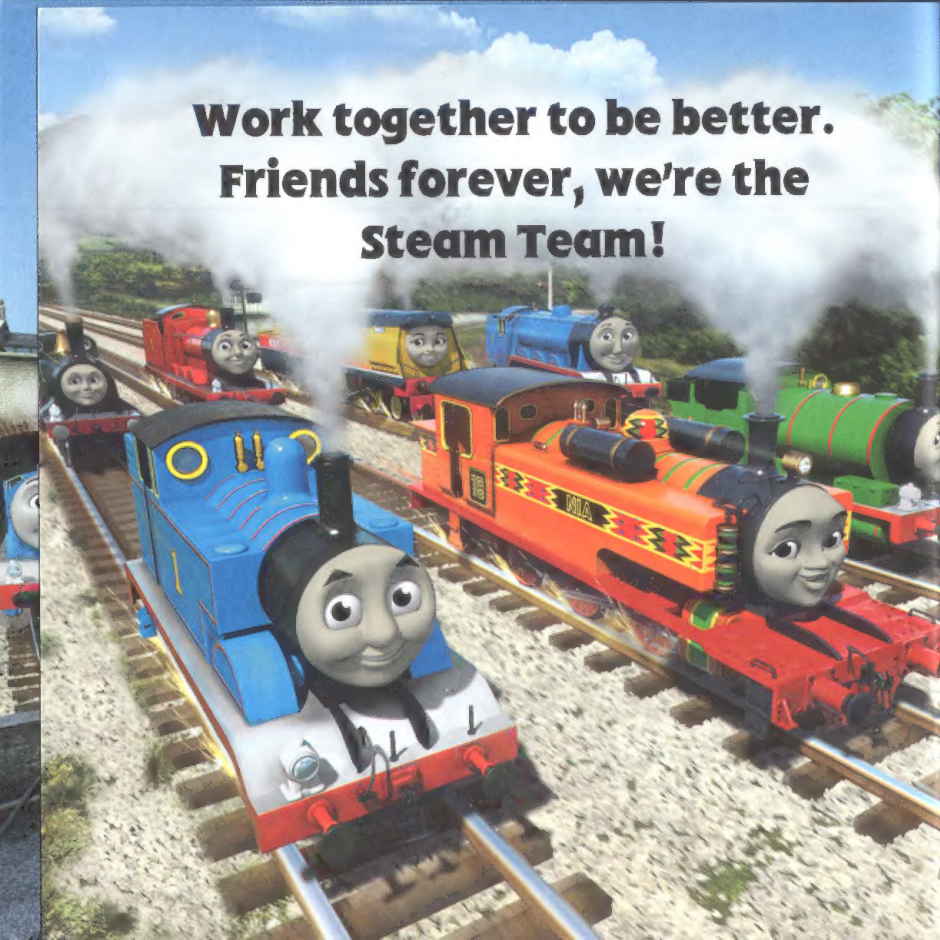
**What do I say to  
my friends when  
they help me out?**

**Tank you!**



**My other engine  
friends and I are  
part of a special team—  
the Steam Team!**

**Work together to be better.  
Friends forever, we're the  
Steam Team!**







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